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Parent Filed: This Appln. File			(Parent Ma	tter No. 069102-	0269523)				
Title: METH	OD AND APPARATUS FOR	IMPLEMENTING	LEVEL OF I	DETAIL WITH R	AY TRACIN	1G			
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Sir:	To effect the above-reque	sted filing today, <u>w</u>	<i>ithout</i> a filin	g fee:					
1. Attache	ed is a copy (which must be	filed) of the prior	application, i	ncluding:					
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2.5	THE INVENTOR(S) FOR THIS NEW APPLICATION IS(ARE):
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3.	The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated therein by reference thereto.
4.	Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 based on filing in (country)
	Application No. Filing Date Application No. Filing Date
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	a [] (No.) Certified copy/copies attached.
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	c. Certified copy/copies filed during International stage of PCT/ / .
4.	c. Certified copy/copies filed during International stage of PCT/ / . (a) Domestic priority is claimed from PCT// , filed
	(b) ☐ Benefit is claimed of Provisional Application No. 60/, filed
5.	Prior application is assigned to Believe, Inc.
	by assignment recorded July 3, 2001 Reel 011968 Frame 0624.
•	(Date) Attached is the following number of Assignments (including original and all later successive ones by
6.	different and respective new Cover Sheets. (Do NOT file old cover sheets.)
	assignors):
	(Assignments in parent must be refiled with new Cover Sheets in this continuing application if you
	want it/them recorded against the continuing application.)
	Please return the recorded Assignment to the undersigned.
7.	The power of attorney in the prior application is to <u>Pillsbury Winthrop LLP</u> , and specifically Mark J. Danielson, Reg. No. 40,580
	(Name and Reg. No.)
	whose current address is as in item 8 below.
	a. Recognize as associate attorney
	(Name, Reg. No. and Address)
8.	Address all future communications to Intellectual Property Group
	of Pillsbury Winthrop LLP, 2550 Hanover Street, Palo Alto, CA 94304-1115
9.	This application claims benefit of the following prior US application(s), the contents of which are incorporated
	into this application by this reference:
	No. <u>09/ 898,034</u> filed <u>July 3, 2001</u>
	No.
	No. PCT/ / filed , which
desig	nated the U.S. and that International Application was was not published under PCT Article 21(2) in English

9(a).	(a). See the attached Preliminary Amendment, which amends the first page of the specification to claim benefit of the above listed US application(s)									
10.	Smal	ll Entity Status	☐ is <u>Not</u> claimed	⊠ is claimed	(pre-filing co	onfirmation required)				
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12.		cited by Applicant referenced in item consider those do	t and the PTO in the pa n 9 above. Per Rule 9 ocuments and <u>advise</u> tl	arent application(s) re 8(d) copies of those on the they have been c	elied upon under 35 documents are <u>not l</u> onsidered in <u>this ne</u>	required now. Please				
13.		Attached is a Rule 103(a) Petition to Suspend Action.								
14.		Please see the attached Preliminary Amendment which reduces the number of claims for purposes of reducing the initial filing fee.								
15.	⊠ Se	ee <u>NONPUBLICA</u>	TION REQUEST unde	r Rule 213(a) attache	d (Pat-258)					
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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventors: Aaftab Munshi et al.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

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NONPUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER RULE 213(a)

Sir:

The enclosed continuation patent application is **NOT TO BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. §122(b).

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the enclosed CIP application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

This request is signed in compliance with the provisions of Rule 33(b).

Respectfully Submitted,

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